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## VIPD Thanks Supporters as the Life and Service of **Detective Delberth Phipps, Jr. was Honored**

St. Thomas, USVI - The Virgin Islands Police Department expresses appreciation to all supporters for their benevolence and thoughtfulness as we honored and laid to rest fallen officer, Detective Delberth Phipps, Jr. Policing is an organization devoted to its duty and bond to each other. The men and women dedicate their lives to protecting our community and deserve the recognition for their sacrifice. VIPD thanks all the supporters for remembering the service and sacrifice the men and women have made.

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